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Via ECF

Honorable Nicholas G. Garaufis District Court Judge Eastern District of New York 225 Cadman Plaza East Brooklyn, New York 11201

Re: USA v. Trevelle Merritt, 11-CR-303

Dear Judge Garaufis,

At the last status conference the Court's instincts were correct when it suggested I might need more time to make submissions on behalf of the defendant. Due to my trial preparations schedule in the days after the last status conference I am requesting an additional 2 - 3 weeks to make submissions on behalf of the defendant; my office will follow up.

Very Truly Yours,

Howard Greenberg, Esq.

October 16, 2015